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FY-75 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION: KIQ-65

## NSA Declassification/Release Instructions on File

KIQ-65: What are the negotiating positions and bargaining vulnerabilities of key countries on the form and content of a Law of the Sea treaty?

Give particular attention to issues on which the attitudes and intentions of these countries are likely to be so. Contentious as to jeopardize prospects for a treaty even minimally acceptable to the United States.

### PART I -- OVERALL PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

This KIQ was substantially answered by [REDACTED] producers for the negotiating events which took place during the reporting period. Reporting and production on foreign attitudes and intentions in these negotiations significantly aided the US negotiating team at the formal sessions of the Law of the Sea Conference in Caracas and Geneva, and at a host of informal meetings.

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& NSA  
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B. Production Programs.

1. CIA -- Almost completely met the production objectives in regard to this KIQ. That production included in-depth reporting on the LOS position of twenty-nine countries, studies on special LOS problem areas, and an extensive biographic briefing package, which were prepared for the NSC Interagency Task Force on the Law of the Sea in direct support of the U.S. negotiating team.

2. State/INR -- produced a substantial number of memoranda which helped meet the production objectives of this KIQ.

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SECTION A: KIQ PERFORMANCE REPORTANNEX A. KIQ DEGREE OF ACHIEVEMENT TABLE

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Preparing NIO: [REDACTED] 25X1a9A

	Complete	Almost Complete	Substantial	Partial	Largely Unsatisfied	Almost Totally Unsatisfied	Totally Unsatisfied
KIQ, as a whole			X				
Objectives	25X3						
<span style="background-color: black; color: black;">[REDACTED]</span>	NSA		X				
Objective #1							
Objective #2							
Objective #3							
Objective #4							
<u>Production</u>		X					
Objective #1							
Objective #2							
Objective #3							

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